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Message Body:

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Julie Gentleman and I have resided in the western areas of the San Fernando Valley for a few decades now. I also have worked as a Realtor in the surrounding areas of the San Fernando Valley for some time. The more time I've spent in this valley, the more I have come to notice its steady decline in some neighborhoods. However, it seems that this northwestern corner of the valley is doing the opposite. I would see it as a strong benefit to myself and the city in which I live, Chatsworth, to be placed in a separate district. Doing the work I do around Ventura County, Santa Clarita, and surrounding cities, I feel more at home there than when I am miles east from my home, in the city of North Hills.

Please strongly consider redrawing a line that separates this western part of the valley (Chatsworth, Porter Ranch, and West Hills) from the San Fernando Valley, including it with Ventura County. The same changes happening over in that county are what I wish to be happening in mine. I know with leaders that care about their county the way they do, my section of the San Fernando Valley will flourish as Ventura County has.

Thank you,

Julie Gentleman

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